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To: CSU Presidents
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Subject: **AB 720 – Veterans Day Observance**

Governor Schwarzenegger recently signed Assembly Bill (AB) 720, which added Section 89005.7 to the Education Code requiring the California State University (CSU) to observe November 11, known as Veterans Day, as a holiday and to close the university on that day. The effective date of this bill is January 1, 2006.

When November 11 falls on a Sunday, the CSU shall observe the following Monday as the Veterans Day holiday. When November 11 falls on a Saturday, the CSU shall observe the preceding Friday as the Veterans Day holiday.

Please note that prior to the passage of this bill, Veterans Day was a holiday that could be moved to accommodate campus academic calendars. Beginning with the 2006-07 academic year, campuses will need to adjust their academic calendars accordingly.

If you have any questions, please contact Pamela Chapin in Human Resources Administration at (562) 951-4414 or via e-mail at pchapin@calstate.edu. This memorandum also is available on the Human Resources Administration's Web page at: <http://www.calstate.edu/HRAadm/memos.shtml>.

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